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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Peter VON ZIMMERMANN et al. ) Group Art Unit: Unassigned  
Application No.: Unassigned ) Examiner: Unassigned  
Filed: Concurrently Herewith )

For: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR AUTOMATIC STORAGE OF BUSINESS  
MANAGEMENT DATA (as hereby amended), being a National Stage filing of PCT  
International Application No. PCT/EP2003/009955, filed on September 8, 2003.**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application  
as follows:

**Amendment to the Specification** are included in this paper.

**Amendment to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**Attachments** to this amendment include a Substitute Abstract.